Agn is attractive summer garden is crowded nightly, and the visitors are invariably delighted.

WM. GRAY and James Cochrane got into a fight last night, and were to-day fined 85 for the little diversion.

THE Coreoran leaves her wharf at 6 o'clock this evening with the National Rifles on their sixth excursion to Marshall

PEOPLE who visited the Comique last night say that there never was a more at-tractive bill presented at that favorite re-

DRIVER has a splendid bill at his summer garden this week. Besides Mr. French and the old favorites, Messrs. Mass and Drew are on the bill.

Pack for this week is one of the best numbers yet issued. Al. Thomson, jr., has it for sale at his news, cigar, and tobacco store, No. 507 Ninth street.

Go To Cochrane & Co., opposite Riggs' Bank, for cheap bargains in hosiery and other articles. Take your children along with you and fit them out for the school season. WM. SKIDMORE went to jail for six

months this morning for stealing \$9 in money, a hat and a watch from John Puttle, who was lying asleep in a lumber yard on A GENERAL CAMPAIGN has been opened

against those who keep pigpens or cow-sheds within the corporation limits. Gen. Jim. B. Harvey is one of the first cam-paigners in the field. ELLA RANDOLPH, a sable resident of the Division, was to-day sent to jail for six months for snatching a pocketbook, con-taining \$25, from Lorenzo Harman, an un-sophisticated old white man.

CHARLES THOMAS, a colored boy, was run

over by a sand cart on D street yesterday afternoon, and his collar bone was broken. He also sustained severe internal injuries. The boy was carried to his home in Jackson's alley. WORKMEN WERE engaged to-day in

erecting scaffolding preparatory to the repair of the ceiling and walls of the Criminal Court room, which were badly damaged by the storm that unroofed the building. The proposed visitation of the Sons of Jonadab to Bud Eggleston's tent in Georgetown is postponed until to-morrow evening, in consequence of the funeral services of Brother Fred. Goereke, which takes place at the Soldiers' Home this evening at 6 collects.

SCHOOL SHOES for children can be bought

at Wm. Hahn's, \$16 Seventh street, between H and I, and 1922 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, at astonishingly low prices. Do not neglect to call upon Mr. Hahn before the school season opens.

pour interest and the children's comfort in buying outfits for school purposes for the boys. A. Straus, proprietor of the Avenue, Clothing House, 939 Pennsylvania avenue, has a large stock of boys' suits to choose from. Go and see for yourselves; no trouble and made such havoc with the faces as to almost preclude the possibility of recognizing the place, the show at the Clothing House, 539 Pennsylvania avenue, has a large stock of boys' suits to choose from. Go and see for yourselves; no trouble about finding the place, the show at the doors and the display in the windows make this one of the most attractive places on the Avenue.

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The Middles Ashore.

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The cadet midshipmen from the Naval Academy at Annapolis are in the city enjoying a run ashore. After a long practice cruise they are now taking a vacation and indulging in sundry dissipations not allowable aboard ship, and not accessible within the limits of sleepy old Annapolis. A middy ashore and a middy aftoat are two different beings. Their turn on terra firma is accompanied by experiences that midshipmen can only know, and extends anywhere from "mashing" a pretty girl to drinking ten schooners of beer on a wager. The public buildings to-day swarmed with midshipmen and not a few were noticed peering through the iron railings surrounding the schoon solved in the proposed and the display in the windows make ing them."

Secretary Hunt stated that the Navy Department had been informed by telegraph of the terrible accident, but that nothing had been or could be done in the matter by the Department until the reception of an of Lieut. Commander Edes will result in the promotion of Lieut. Engene B. Thomas, Master John S. Abbott and Ensign George will promote Master Boynton Lench and Ensign W. H. Nostrand.

Lieut. Commander Edes married a Washington lady, Miss Fletcher, a grand-nice of the late Admiral Poor. She is well and favorably known in society circles in this city.

In the Interest of Reformation.

At the July meeting of the board of trustees of the Reform

buildings to-day swarmed with midshipmen and not a few were noticed peering through the iron railings surrounding the White House when the several bulletins were issued. The livery stable-keepers found a boon to their business, also, and, altogether, the boys were reported as having a jolly good time. With reference to their "mashing" abilities, a young lady in the West End is authority for the statement that anything that wears brass buttons can eatch the girls—even a policeman, which statement might be taken as a valuable hint by the regulars who block the sidewalks in front of churches on Sundays.

The Stolen Mail Pouch.

The mail ponch which the negro driver reported to the Post-office Department yesterday, had been stolen from his sulky, he "firing four shots but without success at the thieves," was brought to the Department by Professor Sheldon, the dancing-master of F street, who picked it up on the road while delivered.

of f street, who picked it up on the road while driving.

The sable messenger had fallen asleep and lost the pouch, and the story about the robbery was concocted to shield himself. The contractor will be admonished by the Department to be more careful in future, but will be permitted to continue his contract.

Entire fall stock now ready, Eiseman Bros

The Washington Cadets.

The Washington Cadets will go into camp at the new Germania Schuetzen Park to-morrow and remain three days. During this period the camp will be visited by the staff officers of the District, and several of the military organizations. The occasion will be celebrated with a display of fireworks, open-air concerts, croquet matches and target shooting. The cadets are the crack colored organization of the District, and in all their excursions, &c., they have been gentlemanly in their demeanor and have maintained perfect order.

An interesting social event in Charlotte, N. C., the coming fall, will be the marriage of a blind girl to a deaf mute. The bridge visual infirmity does not impair the beauty of her eyes and has not been suffered to hinder the development of her mind, while the groom is a handsome and intelligent man. After the first difficulties of an introduction had been surmounted the courtship is said to have advanced smoothly, and their mutual sympathy and understanding are now so deep that, when they are together, each readily supplies the other's lack, and their combined scarse of equal to any constraints are equal to any constraints.

A HORRIBLE DEATH.

THE EVENING CRITIC.

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The opecial bulletin issued from the Signal', Office to-day says:

"Fair weather is is-dicated for Wednesday in the Middle Atlantic States, South Atlantic and East Gelf States, and rain in the lower lake region.

The Critic in Georgetown.

Copies of The Evening Critic may be had and subscriptions left at E. K. Lundy's book and stationery store, 128 Bridge street, Georgetown.

PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS, I...

About People and Things in Washington.

STREET-LAMPS will be lighted at 7:10 pm. and extinguished at 3:45 a.m.

FITTY-FOUR ARRESTS were made by the police during the twenty-four hours ending at 8 s.m.

The bodies went into the air some thirty-

the air.

The bodies went into the air some thirtyfive feet, and with them ascended the debris of the boat. The workmen employed on the station waded into the water as soon as

possible and recovered all that was pos-sible of the bodies.

The class immediately returned to the island, and an officer was detailed to go to Narraganett Pier and break the news to

Narragansett Pier and break the news to Edes' wife, who had gone there yesterday morning for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Edes belonged in this city, and resided at No. 1903 F street northwest. Spalding, who was not married, resided in Portsmouth, N. H. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict to the effect that Edes and Spalding met their death by the accidental explosion of a torpedo, which would not have happened had they followed instructions. No one at the torpedo station is to blame.

This exculpates Lieut. Caldwell, one of This exculpates Lieut. Caldwell, one of the instructors, who in doing his duty in closing the circuit made possible the acci-dent, for Edes depended upon keeping this circuit open, although he failed to inform Caldwell of his intentions. Both men had just been detached. Spalding had a strange presentiment of death before leaving his hearding, place resistance meaning. He presentiment of death before leaving his boarding place yesterday morning. He gave his card, with his address upon it, to the landlady and said he wanted her and his friends to know where to send his body in case anything happened to him. The flags on the vessels of the training fleet at Fort Adams and at the torpedo station were put at half-mast.

Lieut-Commander Benjamin Long Edes was a netice of Marchand but was an

Lieut.-Commander Benjamin Long Edes was a native of Maryland, but was appointed to the Navai Academy at Annapolis from New York in 1861, he being then a resident in that State. He graduated in 1865, and was attached to the Ticonderoga, on the European squadron, until 1867, when he was transferred to the Shamrock, baving been promoted to ensign in 1866. In 1868 he was promoted to master, and was com-missioned as licutenant in 1869. He was promoted to licutenant-commander and at-tached to the torpedo service at the time of

Licut. Lyman (4. Spalding, the other victim of the disaster, was a mative of New Hampshire, and entered the service in 1871. He was commissioned as lieutenant in

Another account says:

"That the accident was the result of neglect cannot be doubted, but the neglect was that of the two men themselves, who failed to carry out the instructions of Lieutenant Commander Bradford, who told them to be sure and see before planting the torpedo that all the connections between it and the two firing stations were severed. It is certain they could not have done so, and their lives are unfortunately sacrificed. The explosion took place but a few minutes before their time for leaving the station for the day. Directly after the explosion took place the remains were sought for. Everything was recovered but the two feet of Lieut. Spalding, who was blown by far the greatest distance into

mittee to visit several of the best reformatories of the country and report upon the best method of teaching shoemaking, basket-weaving, tailoring and simple carpentering to the boys. The committee visited Baltimore for this purpose some time ago, and will start to-morrow morning on a much more extensive tour of inspection. The first point to be visited is Philadelphia, whence they will go to New York, then to Brooklyn, and then make a tour of New England, visiting the mechanical fair in Boston during September. If, by the end of this trip, the committee have a desire to go further, they will visit Ohio and Indiana, making an examination of the admirable making an examination of the admirable institutions of these States. The length of the trip cannot be estimated yet, as its extent has not be determined upon, but will be made with as little loss of time as pos-sible. Major Morgan will also investigate the mode of treating vagrant and homeless persons in other cities with a view to im-

proving our system. Sudden Death.

Adolph Kunzig, a restaurant-keeper at No. 1304 D street northwest, died very suddenly this afternoon, from an attack of cramp. Dr. Walters, who was called in shortly before the man's death, will give a certificate of burial. Kunzig is the man whose daughters were outraged not long ago by a man who was supposed to have fied to Baltimore, and for whom a Baltimore baker was arrested and brought to this city by two constables.

King Kalakana does not particularly admire the Parisians. His exceeding frankness to the Minister for Foreign Affairs must have astonished that official. "I am," he said, "delighted with Paris. It is a city of splendid palaces. But when you have such public buildings, why do you not try and have finer men to put in them? The beauty of your palaces jars with the plainness of their inhabitants."

# THE PRESIDENT

[Continued from First Page,]

come from a very high official that on Saturday night last the President had passed the ball, and that for some reason the physicians were keeping it quiet. Reporters of The Critic to-day followed up this rumor and exploded it.

Col. Rockwell said: "It is absurd. There is no truth in it. I only wish it was so."

Gen. Swaim said to Gen. Sturgis, who had heard the story on the streets, "If it is true I have heard nothing of it."

Dr. Reyburn said to a reporter of The Critic, "It is false."

A Proposition to Cure by Magnet.

CRITIC, "It is false."

A Proposition to Cure by Magnetism.

A large, healthy-looking man, who said his name was Capt. Blanchard, was among the latest visitors at the White House. He had a letter from Sheriff Daggett, of Brookiyn, and wanted to see Col. Rockwell. To that gentleman he stated that he felt sure he could cure the President by animal magnetism in three weeks if he was allowed to see him for an hour every day. He said he had made several miraculous cures in that way and felt sure he could benefit the President. Col. Rockwell declined his offer with thanks, saying that the physicians had already had several similar propositions but would prefer to use their own method of treating the President.

No Cause for Alarm.

The people at the White House do not

The people at the White House do not attach much significance to the high pulse at noon. The general explanation of the rise is that it was due to the manipulations rise is that it was due to the manipulations of the parotid gland this morning. The bulletin, however, conveys the welcome intelligence that the swelling is perceptibly smaller and looks better. It is also stated that the condition of the wound remains unchanged. This does not show it is getting better.

Col. Rockwell

Col. Rockwell, in trying to explain away any alarm that might be caused by the high pulse, said that the physicians had a very good example of the fluctuations of a per-son's pulse. Attorney-General MacVeagh was used in the experiment. His pulse was was used in the experiment. His pulse was taken while he was sitting down. It was \$84. He was then asked to walk across the room three times, and he did so. His pulse when examined then was 100, and he as well as all the spectators to the experiment were satisfied that the pulse is very easily excited. Col. Rockwell then stated that when the President's pulse was examined to-day, three-quarters of an hour after the noonday examination, it was found to have fallen to amination, it was found to have fallen to 110, a decrease of six beats in less than an hour. It was 110 at 1:30 o'clock.

The Pulse Causes No Auxlety. At 1:30 p. m. Col. Rockwell stated that the President was doing well to-day. The high pulse at noon caused no anxiety, particularly since it fell six beats within half an hour after the bulletin had \*been issued. The Colonel said the physicians had told him that as long as the gland remained troublesome as now they must expect fluctuations of the pulse without thinking them daugerous.

Dr. Woodward stated at 2 p. m. that the pulse was causing no anxiety; that it was due entirely to the gland; that the gland was progressing satisfactorily, and that on the whole the case was proceeding favor-

The following was sent this afternoon:

Lowell, Minister, London: "The President's condition has not materially changed since my last dispatch. Another incision was made this morning in the parotid gland with very satisfactory results. Pus flows freely, and the swelling grows less. The pulse at this hour (2 p. m.) is lower than during the forenoon of yesterday, but on both days it is higher than his other good symptoms would seem to warrant. It is now 110. At noon it was 116.

"Blaine, Secretary."

The Pulse Again Falling. The President's pulse has fallen to 110, and Dr. Woodward says the case is proceed-The Gland Doing Well.

Secretary Blaine generally bases his dis-patches to Minister Lowell on information received direct from Dr. Woodward.

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His information from that gentleman at 2 o'clock to-day, was that the President was doing well, and that the gland, which had been frifated to-day more than usual by the last incision, was instrumental in causing the pulse to risc. As long as it remains in its present condition the physicians expect these things. Dr. Woodward further stated that the swelling was now—2 o'clock—doing well and slowly subsiding.

Lieut. Commander Edes married a Washington lady, Miss Fletcher, a grand-niced of the late Admiral Poor. She is well and favorably known in society circles in this city.

In the Interest of Reformation.

At the July meeting of the board of trustees of the Reform School it was decided that workshops for the boys should be a feature of the institution, and at the following meeting Major Morgan, A. J. Falls and Dr. Joseph were appointed a committee to visit several of the best reformatories of the country and report upon the best method of teaching shoemaking, basket-weaving, tailoring and simple carpentering to the boys. The committee visited Baltimore for this purpose some time ago, and will start to-morrow morning on a much more extensive tour of inspection. The first point to be visited is Philadelphia, whence they will go 3 P. M.

In Guiteau's mail to-day there were but two postal cards. These showed that the crank craze was extending to the juveniles of the country. One dated from Cincinnati was in a scrawling hand, to the effect that "I am organizing a party to go to Washington and take you from the jail, you dirty dog! You brute and beast assassin, Guiteau! We will do it, too."

"I wish I had your neck in a rope, And with my hands that I could quickly choke."

WILLIAM L. ANDERSON. (Aged 13 Years).

The other was from Massachusetts and signed "Little Boys." It promised Guiteau, in poor spelling, but worse grammar, to have his life, and said that each of the party would give \$5 to get a chance to see him "just once."

Visiting Firemen. The Columbia and Goodwill Volunteer Fire Companies from Allentown, Pennsylvania, passed through this city this morning on their way to Alexandria, where a reception and parade will take place. The firemen were in uniform, and made a fine display. It had been the Intention of the Fire Department of this city to give the visitors a formal reception, but through respect to the suffering President they agreed that a demonstration was inappropriate, and it was dispensed with.

### GEORGETOWN AFFAIRS.

Coal Coming.

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Seventeen boats, with coal for the following companies, left Cumberland Saturday for Georgetown. Consolidation Company, 310 tons; Borden Company, 410 tons; Maryland Company, 279 tons; Blaen Avon Company, 95 tons; George's Creek Company, 95 tons. For Alexandria American Company, 194 tons; Hampshire and Bath Company, 285 tons.

Work on the new public school building in Tennallytown commenced yesterday.

in Tennallytown commenced yesterday. Wheat.

Hartley Brothers received a boat-load of wheat this morning.

Badly Battered. Joseph M. Murphy, whose face looked as if it had come in contact with a circular saw, called at the station-house this mornsaw, called at the station-house this morning and asked for a warrant for Dennis Cady, a saloon-keeper, on Bridge street. Joseph charges that he was pursuing the even tenor of his way, when Dennis called him into his saloon and began to abuse and then to hit him over the head and face. Dennis did not think he was quite able to give Joseph a sufficient beating, and called in his brother John, who held Murphy's arms while Dennis punished him. The case will come up in the Police Court to-morrow.

A Lively Row. A lively row occurred last eyening be-tween two colored boys, one from Washing-ton, the other from Georgetown. Frank Jarvis was the only one arrested, and he was fined \$10 by Judge Bundy to-day for assaulting Charley Crost with a black-jack. A Locality that Should be Looked up.

The notorious colored denizens of Cherry Alley do not seem to dwell in unity at all Alley do not seem to dwell in unity at all times. If that delectable place, which ought to be broken up, does not furnish two or three fights or a rape every week business is indeed very dull. Mary Ellen Lawson, a 16-year-old girl, charges Sam Payne with attempting to commit a rape upon her. While the statement of the girl may be true, there are very few who believe it. The case will go to the Police Court. This is a very auspicious time for the District Commissioners to issue an order declaring the dilapidated shantles in Cherry alley a nuisance, and have the whole thing abolished. The peaceable and law-abiding residents in that vicinity would certainly greather free if this was done. When will the Commissioners take the initiative step?

District Government Notes.

-Work was commenced to-day on the two school-houses in the Second Division. —Frank D. Johns has requested per-mission to erect a stand on G street wharf on the day of the regatta.

—The law on the subject has been furnished to several parties who objected to being taxed for dog tags.

-John Richardson received a permit to-day to build a brick dwelling at Sixth and I streets southwest, to cost \$700.

The proprietors of the Congressional Hotel have written to the Commissioners stating their willingness to rent the hotel for District offices. -The following persons received permits — The following persons received permits to make repairs to their houses to-day: Jerome Bridget, 715 Twenty-third street, 815; E. D. Porter, 45 Massachusetts avenue, \$100, and L. M. Saunders, 1103 F street, \$500.

—The river arrivals on Saturday were the schooners A. B. Crabtree, Charles E. Morrison, O. H. Booth, Lizzie Wilson and S. P. Hitchcock; yesterday, the schooners Sally, Bonner, Annie Clark, the steamers Norfolk and Sue, and several longboats and

pungies.

—Dr. W. W. Godding, of the Insane Asylum, has furnished the Commissioners with a list of the places of residence of twenty-eight immates of St. Elizabeth who do not belong in the District. The list includes nine States, and one of the cranks comes all the way from Syria. An effort to return nearly all these lunatics will be made promptly. pungies.

made promptly.

—Mrs. Amanda Henderson committed suicide by drowning at St. Georges, Delaware, yesterday. She was but 21 years of age. At the inquest it was learned that she had given evidence during the past few days of acute mental suffering, attributed to the harshness of her parents, who live in the first suffering attributed to the harshness of her parents, who live in the first suffering attributed to the harshness of her parents, who live in the first suffering attributed to the harshness of her parents, who live in the first suffering at the first suffering attributed to the harshness of her parents, who live in the first suffering at the first suffe to the harshness of her parents, who live in Buffalo, N. Y. She had married her hus-band, who is about 60 years of age, against the wish of the parents, and, consequently, had been forbidden to come home. This

preyed upon her mind.

—The Commissioners had a private meeting to-day, during which the subject of Bailey & Fletcher's contracts was considered. Mr. Fletcher was present for the firm, and Lieut. Green in the place of Major Twining. The meeting lasted for several hours, and finally action was postponed, and several points were referred to Attorney Riddle for his legal opinion. The matter further than this has not been made public, although several interesting facts have been developed in regard to the affair. preyed upon her mind.

## FINANCIAL.

To-day's Stock Quotations. The following observations of the transactions in the financial market to-day, to-gether with opening and closing quotations, are furnished by the banking house of H. D. Cooke, Jr., & Co., 1429 F street, Washing-

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ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS.

The Columbia and Good Will Volunteer Fire Companies, of Allentown, Pa., arrived here this morning, accompanied by the Allentown cornet hand, thirty pieces, and a number of citizens of that place with their ladies. They were received by the mayor and officers of the Fire Department and escorted to the Mausion House, their head-quarters, where Mayor Beckham made a very happy speech, welcoming them to the hospitalities of the city. The mayor's address was replied to by one of the members of the Good Will Company, whose speech was received with cheers.

The parade will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock as follows: Squad police, Allentown band; chief engineers of Allentown and Alexandria Fire Departments and aids; Allentown firemen, two companies; Good Will and Columbia, with apparatus; Hydraulion Steam Fire Engine Company, Alexandria Musical Association, Relief Hook and Ladder Company, Columbian Steam Fire Engine Company, Alexandria Musical Association, Relief Hook and Ladder Company, Route of the procession—Form on Washington, right resting on Cameron, Cameron to Royal, Royal to Queen, Queen to Fairfax, Fairfax to Washington washington to Prince, Prince to Fairfax, Fairfax to Duke, Duke to Washington, Washington to Prince, Prince to St. Asaph, St. Asaph to King and disband.

The executive committee of the Hon. Daniel Barbour and McKinney Democratic Club met at the law office of ex-Mayor Smith last night and adjourned to meet again on Thursday night next.

A conference of Democratic leaders will be held at Culpeper Court House on Friday next. Ex-Mayor Kemper, of the State executive committee, with several other gentlemen of this city will be present.

James Wilkerson was before the Mayor this morning and fined \$10 for selling whisky on Sunday.

The three men, Frank Banks, Charles Minor and Edward Honk, arrested on Saturday night last for the robbery of the residence of Mr. B. J. Burgess, were before the mayor this morning, and committed to jail for the grand jury.

Capt. John S. Wise, a Mahone leader, will add

address the people of this place at the post-office corner to night.

The Game Protective Association met last night, and decided to hold their an-nual game dinner on the 1st proximo at Fort Foote.

THE DUEL.

First Blood for the Readjusters.

There has been blood on the face of the moon in the town of Warrenton, Va., for the past fortnight, growing out of polities, and some of it was shed last evening. During a recent political debate rough language passed between Mr. Robert S. Campbell, Readjuster, and Mr. James Scott, Funder, both young lawyers of Warrenton; it eventuated in a prospective duel over a week ago, but both parties were arrested and placed under heavy bonds to keep the peace. Yesterday, however, it was manifest that a hostile meeting was imminent both Campbell and Scott were closely watched, but managed to clude the officers of the law and met at the Double Poplars, about three miles from the town, about 7 First Blood for the Rendjusters. White Kid Slippers, all sizes. watched, but managed to chast also offices and met at the Double Poplars, about three miles from the town, about 7 o'clock yesterday evening. Alexander Hunter, of Alexandria, the Virginia correspondent of the Capital, of this city, was Campbell's second, and Mr. Richard Scott, of Petersburg, seconded Scott. The weapons were revolvers, Scott using a central fine Smith & Wesson, and Campbell a Colt's. The distance was ten paces. In the first fire Campbell shot Scott through the hand. Scott asked for a second fire to which Campbell acceded, but Hunter interfered, taking the pistols from the combatants and firing them in the air.

Campbell is the son-in-law of Col. John S. Mosby, and is the Readjuster candidate for the Legislature.

Scott is the son of Col. Scott, the Commonwealth Attorney of Fauquier County.

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Further details of the affair have not yet

—At the congress of the German Chess Club at Berlin yesterday, Mr. Mason, of New York, beat Mr. Blackburn, of London, and Mr. W. Paulsen, of Berlin, beat Mr. Zuck-

Mr. W. Paulsen, of Berlin, beat Mr. Zuckertort.

—The international cricket match was commenced at Hamilton, Ont., yesterday. In the first innings the Canadians had 75; the Americans, when time was called, had 45 to their credit, with five wickets down.

—The sculling match between Thomas Blackman and Harry Thomas, for a purse of £400, took place yesterday over the Thames champiouship course, from Putney to Mortlake. Blackman defeated Thomas in 25m. 35s. It is thought that the result of this race may have some bearing on the forthconfing sculling contests.

—At the Brighton Beach course yesterday the events were as follows: First race—Five-eights of a mile. Banter won; time, 1:05. French pools paid \$9.45. Second race—One mile. Blanton won; time, 1:46. French pools paid \$12.04. Third race—Three-quarters of a mile. Cridge won; time, 1:15. French pools paid \$13.40. Fourth race—One and a half miles. Ingomar won; time, 2:38. French pools paid \$40.20. Fifth race—One and a quarter miles. Andy Woodcock won; time, 2:23. French pools paid \$109.80.

—Base-ball games were played yesterday as follows: At Troy, N. Y.—Troys, 5: Bos.

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The East Capitol Post-office.

To-morrow morning the Post-office Department will deside upon the precise location of the branch station of the City Post-office for the convenience and interests of the residents of East Washington. There is one of two points where it will be located—Third and East Capitol streets, or Third and B streets. Capital Grant is bidder for the former locality, and Mr. Windham for the B-street location. The latter offers to creet a building and have it in readiness for use within thirty days. He will lease it to the Department at \$30 per month.

This evening Postmaster-General James and City Postmaster Ainger will visit East Washington to look into the localities above designated, with the purpose of deciding upon the spot on which to locate the postal station. The East Capitol Post-office.

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